

# The Adair County News.

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## GROWING IN INTEREST.

### The News Merit Contest, To Four Young Ladies in Adair County.

First prize, Ladies Gold Watch.  
Second prize, Gold Bracelet.  
Third prize, Gold Set Ring.  
Fourth prize, Gold Brooch Pin.  
Contest closes Wednesday, April 15th, 1908, at 12 M. Below is given the vote up to 11:30 this (Tuesday.)

Jennie McFarland, Columbia,	15,335
Mollie Caldwell, Portland,	5,255
Pearl Breeding, Vester,	4,590
Mary Fesse, Cane Valley,	3,885
Nora Bradshaw, Montpelier,	3,500
Lula Connor, Glensfork,	3,375
Mary Hulse, Columbia,	2,300
Nina Marcum, Columbia,	1,775
Alice Walker, Columbia,	1,360
Ruby Jeffries, Ozark,	1,150
Cora Smith, Columbia,	625

Miss Mattie Thomas has received some votes, but not enough to nominate.

### PRAISEWORTHY EFFORTS.

"Put on the Whole Armor of God," was the Rev. M. M. Murrell's subject at the Methodist church last Sunday forenoon, and it was a very appropriate one for a young man to discuss. The speaker upon that occasion, is a young minister just entering the Gospel field, and a large congregation was out to hear him, which seemed to inspire him with new efforts to use the powers within him. He delivered an exceedingly interesting sermon, which would have been a credit to a minister who has seen many more years service in Gospel work. The points he brought out indicated a deep study of the subject, clear and convincing. The all important safe guard in the Christian is that a man put on the whole armor of God; the sandals of preparation; the girdle of truth; the breast plate of righteousness; the shield of faith and the helmet of salvation; and any man who goes forth to fight the good fight of a soldier of the cross with the armor thrown about him will succeed and come out victorious, regardless of obstacles or temptations that may come in his way. We are thorough believers in encouraging a young man in whatever he may undertake in life, and when he makes an effort deserving of praise, it should be extended unto him.

Rev. Harry King, another young and talented minister, was greeted with a large audience at the evening service. He took for his subject: "Blessed are They Who Hunger and Thirst After Righteousness," handling his theme in a clear and forcible manner. He was accorded close attention throughout his discourse, every one who heard him being pleased with his effort. In closing he gave the young men and young girls some wholesome advice, pleading with them to accept Christ, and walk in the straight and narrow path which leads to eternal life.

### SERIOUSLY AFFLICTED

We learn from the Burkeville News of the 12th inst., that Mr. R. M. Cheak is dangerously ill at his home near Nashville, Tenn. The only hope for relief is for the patient to undergo a dangerous operation. He is a most excellent gentleman well-known to a great many Columbians who would be glad to hear of his recovery. His wife is Miss Betta Patterson, whose home was in Columbia before her marriage, and who was one of the most popular young ladies in the community.

### OWNERS OF COWS, ATTENTION.

Two weeks ago the municipal board passed a stock ordinance which was published in the News at the time. It directed that all stock must be kept up, excepting milk cows and that they were not to be milked from 6 a. m. to 6 p. m. As a result, the cows owned in town have taken possession of the city cemetery and are doing a great deal of damage, the fence being down to give way for a walk that is being made. Hence, at the next meeting of the board an ordinance will be passed, law requiring all stock to be kept up, including cows.

## AN ESTIMABLE LADY DEAD.

Last Sunday morning, February 16th, Mrs. Mary Madaris, who was the wife of Mr. C. I. Madaris, died at her late home near Eato, Russell county. The deceased was a sister of Rev. Geo. W. Perryman, who is pastor of a Baptist Church in Knoxville, and who is well-known here. The deceased was about sixty years old and for many years was a devoted member of the Methodist Church. She will be greatly missed, not only by surviving members of her family but by the entire neighborhood in which she lived. She was a victim of pneumonia.

### PYGMALION AND GALATEA.

Greek Mythological play in three acts at Lindsey-Wilson Chapel Saturday evening, February 22nd, at 7:30 o'clock. Costumes rich, stage effect beautiful. Don't miss it.

#### CAST OF CHARACTERS.

Pygmalion (Greek Sculptor)	Douglas Penland.
Cynisca (Pygmalion's wife)	Miss Frances Jones.
Galatea (Vivified statue)	Miss Lucile Shannon.
Cryos (Patron of the Arts)	Philip Williams.
Lucippe (Athenian Soldier)	Elam Harris.
Myrene (Pygmalion's sister)	Miss Sara Thomas.
Daphne (Cryos's wife)	Miss Katie Murrell.
Agesimos (Cryos's slave)	Elwood Durham.
Mimos (Pygmalion's slave)	Harry King.

#### STATUARY.

Artemis	Miss Catherine Varderman.
Pandora	Miss Mary Cartwright.
Hera	Miss Myrtle Myers.
Persephone	Miss Nina Marcum.
Penelope	Mable Atkins.
Psyche	Miss Nina Marcum.
A Nymph	Mable Atkins.
Demetter	Mable Atkins.
A Nymph	Dimple Conover.
Hebe	A Nymph
Aphrodite	Mrs. Moss.
Aos	

Price of admission:  
In Chapel 35c and 25c.  
In Wings 15c.

Proceeds for Methodist parsonage and Lindsey-Wilson Library. Tickets on sale at Paul's Drug Store after Wednesday noon.

Lagrippe is no respecter of person. It believes in treating everybody exactly alike, the poor and the rich, the hale and the blind. It commenced to sweep this county about four weeks ago and has been diligent from the start. At the progress it is now making, it is believed that in two weeks longer every family in the county will have been visited. There have been no serious results but there have been many aches and blowing and sneezing in abundance. There has never been a better opportunity for testing ear drums.

Prof. Schiedler, the well-known piano tuner, who has been making trips to Columbia for a great many years, is now a very old man and for some time has been terribly afflicted. On a recent visit to Metcalfe county he was taken sick and was sent to the Poor Farm by order of Court. He has improved since his location at that place, but he is yet very feeble, and there is no hope of his recovery. He is victim of a cancer.

A valuable work horse belonging to Mr. Jo Reed got badly hurt last Friday morning. Mr. Reed was hauling hay and in passing over a culvert bridge on the street, leading to the residence of Mrs. George Shelton, the horse broke through, with result as above stated. It is believed that it will be some time before the animal will be able for service.

Those who were acquainted with her will be sorry to learn of the death of Mrs. Lucinda Montgomery which occurred at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Lizzie Bottom, in Junction City February 8. The deceased was in her 72nd year, and a few years ago she resided with her daughter, Mrs. Bottom, in Columbia. She was a lovely old lady and made many friends during her stay here. She was a devout member of the Baptist church.

Mr. W. I. Meader, Campbellville, passed over two dollars, saying: "Give my votes to the daughter of my old deceased friend, Clay Connor."

## JUDGMENTS

### In Two Important Law Suits—Much Interest Manifested.

#### CASES WILL GO TO COURT OF APPEALS.

In the case of Wathen, ac., against W. K. Azbill which involved about 767 acres of land in Clinton county, the court decided that the land was purchased by the plaintiffs and defendants jointly or as partners, and directed that it be conveyed to them—the partners in the deal as is adjudged are Wathen, Knott, Azbill, Bradshaw and Matson.

The other case was the suit of Geo. F. Stults against J. T. Page, ac., for a settlement of the affairs of the Adair County State Co. The firm was composed of G. F. Stults, Jas. T. Page and L. B. Hurt, and did a large business in this and other counties. The chief issues between the parties were as to the terms of the partnership and questions growing out of the working and sale of the timber upon the lands of Page.

The court adjudged that by the terms of the partnership Page was to furnish the money, and the other partners, Hurt and Stults, were to do the work in the management of the business, and each to share equally in the profits, which amounted to several thousand dollars.

Page was allowed five dollars per thousand for the staves made from his timber.

#### L. W. T. S., NOTES.

Rev. Tyler Wright filled his regular appointment at Cane Valley last Sunday.

Rev. C. D. Basham left last week for northwestern Missouri, where he goes to become pastor of a circuit. We regret very much to lose him from the school, for he is a fine student and an excellent young man. We wish him success in his work.

Mr. Wilson, of Green county, was a pleasant visitor at the school Monday.

Miss Mary Williams, one of the graduates of 1907, is visiting here. Her many friends are glad to see her.

The F. L. S., and C. D. S., met Saturday night, and much interest was manifested, which is very gratifying to all concerned.

These sunny days will cause the members of the Athletic Association to continue their improvement on the ball ground, and they expect to be in readiness to meet any team that comes, and make a game interesting to them. They intend purchasing uniforms soon.

The work of the school is moving along nicely, and new pupils are still coming. The daily attendance is splendid, although several of the pupils are detained from school on account of sickness.

There will be an entertainment at Lindsey-Wilson next Saturday night, and an interesting time is expected.

#### CIRCUIT COURT AT JAMESTOWN.

Judge H. C. Baker opened the February term of the Russell circuit court promptly at 10:30 Monday morning, and by the noon hour the grand jury had been instructed and was ready for business. In the afternoon the petit jury was empaneled, and the work of trying offenders commenced. The docket is not large and the court will not likely continue longer than this week.

Notwithstanding the roads leading to Jamestown are in a fearful condition, a fair crowd of people put in an appearance.

There was some stock on the market, but buyers were scarce, and but few heard, of any, changed hands.

The Master Commissioner sold a few tracts of land by order of court, and the merchants and other business men, are not complaining of the trade they received.

On account of the wet weather, but little has been done on the pike from Jamestown to the mouth of Greasy Creek, but the owners hope to have a good piece of road completed before the end of the summer.

Mrs. Gann, the mother of Judge S. A. Gann, is the only person in Jamestown who is seriously ill at this time.

## TILFORD---BOWMAN.

### The Culmination of a Long Courtship---a Liberty Couple.

#### THE GROOM WELL-KNOWN HERE.

Monday evening of last week Mr. O. P. Bowman and Miss Ida Tilford, both of Liberty, were married at the Reed Hotel, Lexington. The marriage was not a surprise to the home people of the contracting parties.

The groom is a gentleman of high character and is a successful merchant and farmer, and has quite a number of friends in Columbia.

The bride is an accomplished teacher, a highly refined lady.

#### REMOVED THE SPLINTER.

Eld. Leslie Bottom, who lives near Knifley, this county, returned from Louisville last week, having gone to the city for the purpose of consulting a specialist. Some time ago while at work a piece of wood struck Mr. Bottom in the eye, leaving several splinters. Dr. Gose was called, but one of the splinters had penetrated to such a depth that it could not be reached. Believing that it would finally work out, the eye was left at rest. Lately Mr. Bottom has suffered greatly, hence his trip to Louisville. The splinter was found and removed and the patient is now at perfect ease.

Columbia Chapter, No. 7, R. A. Masons, will meet next Friday evening.

McKinley Bros. have started a gasoline mill, one mile, above Ozark, on the Russell Springs road. It grinds and crushes corn, and is a great convenience to the neighborhood.

A new mercantile firm, Gilpin and Rose, opened up for business, near Sparksburg, Monday. A good stock of general merchandise will be carried. This makes two stores for that community.

The Taylor County Enquirer of last week copied our article "To Make Hens Lay—A New Method," but failed to give us credit. Of course the omission of the Adair County News was an oversight.

Mr. Winfield Scott, who was a highly respected citizen of Metcalfe county, died at his late home, near Edmonston, last week. He was seventy-one years old, and was the father of Mike Scott, who is the County Judge of Metcalfe county.

Why not have a favorite and vote in the Merit Contest? Why fail to cast your vote for some of the young ladies now in nomination? If you get The News when you send in renewal also state who you desire to vote for, or better still, cut out the ballot in the paper and fill to your own liking.

The capital prize in the News Merit Contest will not be won by mere chance. The winner will merit it and that by work. If you want this beautiful watch, then ask your friends to vote for you when they renew and also ask others to subscribe and give you their votes. Every dollar paid by an old subscriber entitles you to 125 votes. A new subscriber gets 150.

We have mailed several statements and within a few more days will have one for every subscriber who is as much as six months in arrears. We trust that each and every one will act promptly in this matter for the first of April will soon be here and, at that time, the new law takes effect, which means that we must drop from our list all who are 12 months in arrears.

If it is the duty of the county court to rock or gravel the public square of Columbia it should be done and done at once. The gravel has about all washed off or has worn so fine that it no longer protects. Besides in rainy weather the square becomes muddy and in many places there are washouts. This is a matter that needs immediate attention and we hope the court will not longer defer this very important necessary work.

## DEVELOPMENT OF ART ILLUSTRATED

### At The Court House, Friday Evening The 21st., 8 O'clock.

Dr. T. Linsey Blayney, of Central University, gives an illustrated lecture on "The Development of Art" at the Court House, Friday evening. The lecturer will tell in a simple pleasing way the story of art in all ages beginning with history in Egypt, telling of Rome and Greece, the Saracens, Italians, German, French and Dutch. Masterpieces of painting, of sculpture, of architecture, will be discussed and presented on the screen before the audience. A great deal of time has been given to the selection of the slides which will be projected from an electric lantern and no trouble nor expense has been spared in securing the best from the world over. These reproductions will be very attractive to the audience and will prove a very entertaining feature.

That Columbia is able to have an entertainment of this sort at this time of the year, is a fact to be appreciated and it is hoped that appreciation will be shown appreciative in an audience.

It is given with the help and interest of about thirty ladies of Columbia, who act as patronesses.

Dr. Blayney comes under the auspices of the M. and F. High School and the proceeds are for a Library Fund.

#### ENTERTAINED.

One of the most delightful social functions of the season was the valentine party, given last week by Misses Mary Cartwright and Bess Rowe at the spacious Cartwright home on Garnett Avenue, in honor of Miss Mary Williams of Greensburg. The house was artistically decorated in evergreen and red hearts suitable to the occasion. Little Miss Virginia Coffey, appropriately attired to represent cupid, received the guests and assisted in entertaining. The special features of the evening consisted of music, fortune telling by cupid, and various other contests. Miss Williams won the prize, a beautiful hand painted calendar for being the quickest to reconstruct a shattered heart, and Miss Roenfield a pin tray, for making the most beautiful valentine. After which the occasion was favored with music by Prof. Ohlenmacher, who, having the lights turned low, rendered the "Witches Dance" in his impressive and skillful manner. The guests then repaired to the dining room where an elegant repast was served, carrying out the colors scheme of red and white. Misses Rowe and Cartwright displayed rare taste in arranging the plan of entertainment and executed the scheme with ease and grace.

#### MORE RAILROAD TALK.

A Scottville correspondent to the Louisville Post quotes Mr. Allen as follows in regard to the railroad:

"We have now about thirty men at work at McKinley. This number will be increased to about 200 within the next month or so. We hope to have the road completed within three or four years. The distance from Danville to Scottville is about 150 miles, and is through some very rough country. Part of the distance will be completed and in operation within one year. The road will be built from McKinley to Scottville to Columbia, thence on to Louisville."

Financial matters have caused a delay but Mr. Allen says he now has the money to complete the road.

#### TO MASONS.

This (Wednesday) evening February 19th, there will be a meeting of Columbia Lodge, No. 96, F. and A. M., for the purpose of conferring the Master Masons degree. All members of the lodge are requested to be present, and members of sister lodges are cordially invited. By order of G. P. Smythe, Master.

The heavy rain last Thursday night and during the day Friday swelled the water courses, and several mails were detained.



## ALL THE NEWS.

Preparations are being made for the manner and time for nominating Congressional candidates in several Kentucky districts. The various county chairmen in the Fourth district will meet at the Old Inn, in Louisville, February 27th.

Bert Wing, who was serving a life term in the Frankfort penitentiary, and who escaped from that institution several weeks ago, has not as yet notified the authorities of his whereabouts. Wing murdered his wife in Louisville. Both the murderer and the wife belonged to prominent families.

The trial of John Etly, charged with murdering his wife, was begun in Louisville last Thursday. The principal witness is Annie Etly, the sixteen year old daughter of the accused, who states she saw her father murder her mother.

Beech Hargis, who killed his father, Judge Jas. Hargis, was brought before an examining Court last week, examination waived, and the prisoner remanded to jail. Mrs. Hargis has employed attorneys to defend her son, and there is a diversity of opinion as to what will eventually be the accused's fate. Some think that he will go to an asylum, others that he will be punished, while a few believe that he will be acquitted. It is stated from Jackson that Judge Hargis left a will, giving all his property to his wife, but the will can not be found.

Vice-President Fairbanks' supporters are working hard, but it is generally conceded that Taft will get the votes of Kentucky. Gov. Willson and ex-Governor Bradley are both Fairbanks men, but the boys in the trenches will down them.

The Ohio Democratic Central Committee fixed March 26th, as the day to select delegates to the national convention.

## MRS. ERMINE WALKUP DEAD.

The subject of this notice died at her late home, near Rows X Roads, Russell county, Wednesday night February 12, 1908. She was the widow of John S. Walkup, who preceded her to the grave several years. She was about sixty-five years old and had been a consistent member of the Methodist Church for about thirty years. The deceased was the mother of Mrs. W. C. Grider, of this place, who was at the bedside when the end came. The deceased was afflicted with paralysis and had been for fifteen years. She also had a cancer on her breast. Though sorely afflicted, she bore her sufferings with Christian fortitude, and was ready when the Master called.

The burial took place on the farm of Mr. John R. Williams, in Adair county last Friday, many relatives and friends being present.

The deceased was a native of Green county, her maiden name being Ermine Rodgers. The

News extends its sympathy to all surviving relatives.

Teachers of the county are hereby notified that the February money is now in hands of the Superintendent.

## OLD AGE PENSIONS IN CANADA.

In planning progressive legislation for the benefit of the wage-earning Canada is rapidly adopting the new ideas that are making Australia and New Zealand famous throughout the civilized world.

The Canadian Government is taking cognizance of the fact that men grow old, and that when they are no longer able to keep pace with the break-neck speed of our modern industrial system they ought not to be thrown upon the scrap heap like so much junk.

Many reasoning, fair-minded men have become imbued with the idea that if it is right to pension veterans who unfortunately are compelled to kill their kind and destroy wealth, it is doubly right to reward those veterans who produce wealth, preserve peace and steadily up-build a higher civilization.

Thus our peace-loving Canadian neighbors propose to enact legislation providing pensions for the aged. It is hoped to encourage thrift and saving among the working people, and to insure the beneficiaries a annual income after they reach the age of sixty or sixty-five sufficient to keep them from actual want.

It is estimated that by the payment of an annual amount of \$13, beginning at twenty years of age, the beneficiary will become entitled to an annuity of \$12 for life when he has reached the age of sixty. If the beneficiary prefers to wait for his pension until he is sixty-five years of age, he will then be entitled to \$200 per annum.

The contributors' savings will be paid into the local postoffice wherever they may reside. These savings will then be given compound interest, semiannually, from the Government at the rate of 4 per cent.

A Government annuity will not be made in favor of any person other than the actual annuitant, nor for a larger sum per annum than \$400. Where a family is desirous of assuring itself more than \$400 yearly there is nothing to prevent the wife taking out an account in her own name as well as the husband.

These Government pensions or annuities will be absolutely inalienable—that is, they cannot be capitalized or sold to anyone else, and the law will provide that the money that a family derives from them cannot be seized for any purpose whatsoever.

Should the annuitant be unable or unwilling to keep up his payments until he has reached the age of sixty he will be allowed to withdraw whatever money he has paid in with interest at the rate of 3 per cent per annum. Of course annuities will cease with the death of the beneficiary.—Louisville Herald.

## IT IS NOT EASY

To apologize.  
To begin over.  
To take advice.  
To be unselfish.  
To admit error.  
To be charitable.  
To be considerate.  
To endure success.  
To keep on trying.  
To avoid mistakes.  
To be a clean man.  
To obey conscience.  
To keep out of a rut.  
To forgive and forget.  
To profit by mistakes.  
To think and then act.  
To despise underhandedness.  
To make the best of a little.  
To maintain a high standard.  
To shoulder a deserved blame.  
To subdue an unruly temper.  
To recognize the silver lining.  
To smile in the face of adversity.

To accept just rebuke gracefully.

To value character above reputation.

To discriminate between sham and real.

But it always pays.—Philadelphia Telegraph.

## 'PHONE ETIQUETTE.

Though one wouldn't think it from the conversations which are occasionally heard "on the line," the etiquette of calls holds good in the matter of telephone calls between men and women.

It is not good form for a young woman to call up a young man; either at his home or at his office. Of course, in the business world, no such rule can be observed, and even in the social world a matron can do the conventional thing without loss of dignity. The rule is a flexible one, and must be modified by common sense.—New Haven Register.

## TWO KINDS OF GIRLS.

There are two kinds of girls in this and every other community. One is the kind that appears best abroad, the girls that are good for parties, rides, visits, balls and cards, and whose chief delight is in such things. The other is the kind that appears best at home, the girls that are useful and cheerful in the dining room, a sick room, and all the precincts of home. They differ widely in character. One is often a torment at home, the other a blessing. One is a moth consuming every thing about her; the other is a sunbeam, inspiring light and gladness around her pathway. The right education will modify both a little, and thus unite the good qualities of both in one.

No person, with perhaps the exception of the parent, has the same influence over the pupil as the teacher. This influence is for good or evil. Every teacher leaves the stamp of his own personality on the character of the boy or girl. The teacher should be strong in intellect, in character and skilled in training.

HARDWICK, Pres. J. H. COCKE, V. Pres. R. H. DIETZMAN, Sec.

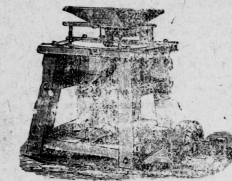
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## EVEN KENTUCKY JOINS "DRY."

As the result of the temperance crusade in Kentucky, the home of the old-fashioned toddy and seductive mint julep, ninety-two out of the 119 counties have put the ban on whisky selling. But four counties in the entire State wholly "wet" and about 1,650,000 of the State's population, out of a total of 2,230,000 are living in arid territory.

Within the last year the "lid" is put on in Louisville for the first time in a half century, and nearly 100 saloons, which had no doors, are now closed on the Sabbath, and if the new city administration is successful in its efforts, over 900 saloons will be closed every night when the city hall clock strikes midnight.

This condition is rather surprising when it is remembered that 100,000,000 is invested in the wine, spirit and beer industry in the State of Kentucky. Although 39,000,000 gallons of whiskey were made in Kentucky last year, word has been received in Washington that but 10,000,000 gallons will be made during 1908. The report of the Commissioner of Internal Revenue for the month of November shows a decrease of \$4,729,965.85 in tax receipts on distilled spirits over the corresponding month of the preceding year.

A press dispatch from Lexington, Ky., reports that officers and members of the Fayette County Branch of the Society of Equity have arranged for financing the 1907 crop in that county. Ware houses will be leased and the private fortunes of the members will be used to advance if desired. Many land owners have agreed to furnish their tenants money to enable them to hold their 1907 crop, and also to enable them to cut out any crop for 1908. This is the correct policy. Let "all hands and the cook" stand together in this policy and the trust will buy our tobacco at a living price.

## CARDINAL RULES OF TAXATION.

The remedy proposed by E. M. Thresher of the Dayton Chamber of Commerce for the difficulties in the tax system of Ohio is similar to the remedy now being urged in many states. He says:

"The essence of the difficulty seems to lie in the attempt to make the constitution deal with details rather than with principles;

"The power remedy, in my judgment, is only to be found in an amendment of the constitution which shall give to the general assembly power to classify all proper subjects for taxation in such a manner that—

"No subject shall escape its proper share of the burden.

"No subject of the same class shall be taxed more than once.

"The tax shall in all cases be uniform to subjects of the same class and just to the subject taxed."

Nearly all animals fear fire and

will rush from it in terror. To others it seems to have a reversed effect; they actually walk right into a flame, regardless of the torture of the heat. A horse in a burning building goes mad with fear, but a dog seems the least excited. He will keep his nose down to the floor where the air is purest, and calmly tries to find a way out. A cat in a fire gives a piteous howl, will crouch in a corner and hide its face from the light, and when rescued is quiet and subdued, seldom attempting to bite or scratch. Cows show no alarm and are easily led out of the building, and in many cases find the way out themselves. Chickens, and all kinds of birds, seem to be riveted to the spot and keep perfectly still.

## THURLOW.

A. R. Perkins sold his store house, dwelling and 10 acres lot to J. A. Wright for \$950.

Miss Hallie Biggs is visiting relatives at Crail Hope.

Edd Cooper of Louisville filled his regular appointment at the Christian Church Saturday night and Sunday.

H. C. Sublett who cut his foot severely with an ax, a few days ago is improving slow.

Misses Tilda Neagle and Thelma Rucker spent Sunday with Miss Artie McAfee.

Mr. C. E. Blakeman of Greensburg, spent Monday with his mother Mrs. Martha Blakeman, who has the lagrippe.

Marcus Hood attended the funeral and burial of his aunt Mrs. T. R. Price of Bliss January 23rd.

Cleve McAfee of Donansburg, were visiting relatives here the first of the week.

The sick list with lagrippe contains Mrs. Martha Blakeman, Mrs. Alice Arnett, J. M. Phillips, G. S. Hood and wife, James Loy and family and Marcus Hood.

Mrs. Mary Perkins died at her home at Exie Friday January 31, with that dreaded disease consumption.

"Uncle" Alex Jeffries is very low not expected to live long. Old age and a general give down.

Steve Taylor and family of Barren county are visiting relatives at this place.

Dr. W. B. Helm sold his buggy and harness to Mrs. Alice Arnett for \$42.50.

Miss Maude Dawson of this place was teaching school at Glenview this county. She went to church Sunday February 2nd, and rode horse back and on returning home about 5 p. m. her horse got excited and threw her against a tree, dragging her some distance. About 30 minutes later the end came. She was born December 17, 1884, making her 23 years 1 month and 16 days of age. She professed religion in early life, and united with the M. E. church south, at this place and lived a consistent member until the end. On Friday afternoon before she was killed, she returned to her board-

ing place singing and rejoicing, said to the lady of the house, she wished her father had a phone so she could tell them how she enjoyed religion. She and her pastor took dinner together that day, holding family prayer about an hour and a half before she was killed. He asked the family how they enjoyed religion, then asked Miss Maude she unhesitatingly answered, that she was ready to meet her Lord at any time. The funeral service was conducted Tuesday forenoon at her home by her pastor Rev. J. P. Vanhoy, assisted by Rev. D. S. Campbell. The remains were laid to rest in the family grave yard. She was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Dawson. She leaves father, mother and two sisters who has the heartfelt sympathy of the community. She often prayed in public and very much in earnest for her pupils. She held a state certificate.

Prof. Wiley of the agricultural department declares enough corn-stalk go to waste in this country from which alcohol could be made sufficient to drive all the machinery of our factories, besides furnishing the requisite power for all the railroads and steamboats of the country, run all the automobiles, light and heat all our houses and furnish light for the streets of every city in the union. Will ever an economical method of saving this enormous waste be devised.

Give variety to the diet of poultry. Millet and kafir corn, as well as sunflower seeds, should be given as a change in the ration. It is now possible to buy a long list of poultry feeds, such as those mentioned. The more the feed is changed the more do the fowls enjoy their food, and this leads to the increased secretion of the digestive juices and a greater utility of the foods. That enjoyment of food increases the digestive powers has been abundantly proved by the scientist that have been studying such matters.

## PROGRESSIVE FARMERS.

The average American farmer is a progressive mortal. He is always ready to learn new things. He lately realizes more than ever the necessity of education in his business. He no longer ignores the fact that science is a wonderful factor in his work, a money saver that must be considered if he succeeds. The more intelligent is the farmer, more interest will he take in the furthering the interests of his home town, and building up and improving the community in general.—Ex.

## The Jumping off Place.

"Consumption had me in its grasp; and I had almost reached the jumping off place when I was advised to try Dr. King's New Discovery; and I want to say right now, it saved my life. Improvement began with the first bottle, and after taking one dozen bottles I was a well and happy man again," says Geo. Moore, of Grimesland, N. C. As a remedy for coughs and colds and healer of weak, sore lungs, and for preventing pneumonia, New Discovery is supreme. 50c and \$1 at T. E. Paul's, druggist. Trial bottle free.



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## DEMOCRATIC TICKET

For United States Senate—Gov. J. C. W. Beckham

The Ohio River is "on a high," and much damage is being done in low lands.

The night riders continue to ride and burn. Thousands of dollars have gone up in smoke in the last two weeks.

Henry C. Hagan, who had been an attendant at the Lexington asylum for quite a while, concluded that he was crazy, and shot and killed himself.

Why any man should want a tax put on the products he is compelled to buy is an unsolved mystery, and yet that is the exact working of the tariff.

Notwithstanding that just before the balloting for United States Senator commenced last Thursday, fervent prayer was offered. There was no change in the ballot.

Attorney John W. Tuttle, of Monticello, has been appointed special judge of the Laurel Circuit Court, to try the case of the State against Robt. Boyd, who shot and killed James Sparks, three months ago.

Old man Tariff will get the severest lick he ever had in the 1908 Contest. He has lost millions of friends in the last five years—he's doing business strictly for the Trusts that are doing the people in every line of organized business.

Senator Rayner, of Maryland, made a lengthy speech on the Currency Bill one day last week. He condemned the present system of banking in the United States, and charged President Roosevelt, by his methods of fighting predatory wealth, as having much to do in intensifying the panic that has been on for several months.

The mountaineer, a paper that was published and edited by S. V. Brents at Albany, has ceased to exist for lack of patronage. Mr. Brents will move the plant to Monticello and publish a Democrat paper. The people of Clinton have made a mistake in not backing an enterprise that had for its object the building up of the county.

The Democrats of Wisconsin in their State Convention, last week, instructed their delegates to cast their votes for Hon. W. J. Bryan. Not a single opposing voice was in evidence. The rectifiers, purifiers and conservativizers may pretend to see great Democratic opposition to Mr. Bryan for the nomination, but they will never realize it. The

man who reads can not fail to see that Mr. Bryan is the choice of 95 per cent of the Democrats in the entire country. There is not a doubt in our mind about his nomination, nor a shadow of a doubt but that it is best for our party and best for the country. His chances for election are fifty to one over any other Democrat that would make the race, and as things now are, and getting a "leetle" more so all the while, he will win over any Republican who may be so unfortunate as to go against him. Mr. Bryan is known. He is not an uncertain quantity. He is for the great body of people, unbiased by political prejudice and unhampered by corporate greed and dictation. He is the man to lead the party, the one to rule the country, and we believe that both will happen to the pleasure of Democrats and for the good of all.

## BAR RESOLUTIONS.

At a Circuit Court held for the county of Adair, at the Court house in Columbia, Kentucky, on Monday January 20, 1908, and it being called to the attention of the Court that Col. E. Butler, a member of the bar, had departed his life on the 18th day of January, 1908, Gov. J. R. Hindman, James Garnett, J. F. Montgomery and Rollin Hurt were appointed a committee to draft and report appropriate resolutions, who reported as follows:

Resolved, That in the death of Col. Butler this bar has lost its oldest member. He was born in Adair county and was licensed to practice in this county, but spent the larger portion of his life in the counties of Clinton and Meade. He was faithful and true to his clients; was energetic in his efforts for them, and always gave them the benefit of his whole time. He was upright in his practice, always pleasant and agreeable with his fellow attorneys, and never failed to manifest the old time respect and consideration for the Court. He scorned and detested any thing that was questionable in the practice, and was always an honorable and honest practitioner. As a man Col. Butler had strong and positive convictions on all questions, and never failed to maintain them. He was thoroughly honest and had a high appreciation of honor in all things. He was an aggressive man and never failed to put all of his energy into every thing he undertook.

The Col. will be very much missed in the courts, and more especially in the town and community where he was born and reared, and where he spent many of his last years.

We hereby tender our sympathy to the family of the deceased.

On presentation the foregoing resolutions were unanimously adopted and ordered to be spread upon the record of this court and a copy furnished to the family of the deceased.

J. R. Hindman,  
Rollin Hurt,  
J. F. Montgomery,  
Jas. Garnett,  
Committee.

## ABSNER

Green river is past fording.

Mrs. Ermine Bault is on the sick list.

Mr. W. H. Caye made a business trip to Roley the first of the week.

Miss Jennie Bailey is very sick at this writing.

Mr. Mont Gabbert, of Casey Creek, left Monday for Lexington to attend school.

Mr. J. H. Martin has purchased the Otha Harmon farm near here.

Mr. Henry Bryant, of this neighborhood, sold about 35 barrels of corn at \$2.25 per barrel.

Mrs. Exura Humphress, of Knifley, visited her father from Sunday until Tuesday.

Mrs. Mary A. Brockman is very low with lagrippe.

Mr. Ingram Robertson, of this place, visited his brother, Olen Robertson, of Coburg, Tuesday.

Mr. Wm. H. Absher is preparing for a new barn.

Lagrippe is the order of the day.

Miss Bertha Dillingham is visiting her sister, Mrs. Owen Hendrickson, of Casey county, this week.

Mr. James Brockman and daughter, Ada, were called to the bed side of Mrs. Owen Humphress, who is very low.

Miss Lou Ann Bryant and Mr. John Willis, of this place, were quietly married Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. The ceremony took place at the residence of Tommie Rice, only a few of their intimate friends being present. Rev. John Rice officiated. It is our understanding that the couple will leave in a short time for Illinois.

## DIRIGO.

News scarce; mud plentiful.

A. M. Petty and daughter, Miss Zella, are on the sick list this week.

Buel Shive, Rugby, was here Saturday buying calves.

This would be an ideal location for a doctor. There is a lot of sickness, and the nearest doctor about four miles away.

J. G. Stotts has been on the sick list for the past few days.

Herschel Campbell is now engaged selling needles and thimbles.

An infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Petty, is dangerously sick at this writing.

Mrs. Eliza Harvey is visiting at Alta Hills, in Metcalfe county, this week.

## FELIX.

Farmers here are very busy turning the soil, preparing for another crop.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanton Kean, of Jamestown, visited Mrs. I. A. Wilson, one night last week.

The mail route from Jamestown to Fonthill will take in Elber, now.

Mr. J. H. Goff was here Saturday.

Quite a crowd of young folks met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Gaskin last Saturday night, and report a good time.

Mrs. Ermine Wilson, post mistress, was called to Mr. Frank Hale's one day this week, to fix up his pension papers, uncle Frank being confined to his room unable to get out.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Rextroat will move to their new home on the Jamestown road this week.

W. S. Coffey and family, of Es-to, visited their father, Sid Coffey, one night this week.

On account of sickness Brother Wade failed to fill his appointment at Russell Springs Saturday and Sunday.

## The Campbellsville Machine Shop

Handles Heavy and Light work. Boilers remodeled and all Boiler repairs made. Heavy and Light Forging of all kinds done. Engines and other machinery rebuilt. Work is done by Mechanics who know how. Try us.

Campbellsville, Kentucky

ment at Russell Springs Saturday and Sunday.

Owen, the little son of J. D. Grider, is very sick with pneumonia fever.

Miss Myrtle Hughes is improving some.

Mr. Payne of Louisville, is in this section to sell Wilson, Wade & Hopper an engine, to run their threshers.

J. D. McQuery will move this week to the farm owned by Arthur Stanton.

On Wednesday evening Mr. Mac Wells and Mrs. Sallie Jane Wells, both of this place, were united in marriage.

Born to the wife of Bryant Dunbar, on the 7th, a son.

The family of W. S. Kean gave him a surprise birthday dinner the 12th.

## RUSSELL SPRINGS.

Owen Grider is ill with pneumonia fever.

Frank Cook, of Jamestown, is at home suffering with a very sore hand.

M. S. Hatfield, of Jabez, was visiting his brothers here Saturday and Sunday.

Messrs. Edgar Bradshaw and Clarence Hurt, Montpelier, were here Friday. Mr. Hurt has a position as telegraph operator in Texas.

Columbus Holt, of Jamestown, was here this week on business.

Miss Ada Wade, who left school some time ago with the grippe, is rapidly improving, and will be in school again soon.

Sylvanus Wilson is making preparations to go to New Mexico.

Elbert Darnell has bought the entire stock of goods owned by Frank Riggins.

We notice that Joe Whitmer, of Muhlenberg county, is back in school again this year, and that he was so well pleased last year is shown by his bringing some of his friends with him this year.

Fixtures are being placed in the new bank building. We will soon have one of the best buildings for a bank in this section of the State, and a splendid bank to operate in it.

The teachers at the academy tell us that the enrollment is nearing three hundred. This is by far the best enrollment yet, and the music department is receiving its share of the attendance. Mrs. Rounds, the principal of the music department, says that she has fifty-six regular pupils.

The effect of the Merit Contest has reached Russell Springs. A number of people here are interested in the plan.

## ELIA.

Plenty of lagrippe.

The writer has just closed a singing school at New Friendship church, Russell county. Every thing went off nicely.

We hear some railroad talk, but we would rather hear the whistle.

## WANTED

### 700 LIVE RE AND GRAY FOXES

**HEALTHY, good condition, not crippled. Will pay \$2.00 each for RED FOXES; \$1.25 each for GRAY FOXES. Will pay above prices at your express office, or any mail carrier coming into Campbellsville, Ky., when crated light and safe, with new tin cup for water. Never use an old tin can as the rust kills them. Feed them chicken, fresh beef, or rabbit (no salty food). I will pay more alive than fur dealers pay for skins. Write me about how many you will be able to get. NO CRIPPLED FOXES WANTED. Foxes may be delivered at the following places:**

Cooley Bros., Absher  
L. R. Chelf, Knifley  
T. H. Skags, Mac  
Reed & Miller, Columbia  
S. S. Goode, Casey Creek  
Bob Wilson, Cane Valley  
Joe Marshall's barber shop, Greensburg

## W. T. HODGEN

CAMPBELLVILLE, KY  
BOX 232

## STOCK ITEMS.

Enmett Henderson bought a sow and seven pigs from Arcian Patterson for \$8.00.

Dr. W. B. Helm sold a fat hog to J. L. Wilson, that weighed 282 lbs. at 5c.

Lathe Henderson bought a span of 4 and 5 year old mules from G. A. Blakeham for \$250.00. Thurlow Cor.

Mr. C. M. Herfford sold a yoke of oxen to Mr. Will Moore, of Greensburg, for \$80.00.

Mr. R. E. Tandy sold a yoke of oxen to John T. Smith for \$90.00.

Master Dallas C. Tandy sold a yoke of calves to Mr. W. T. Dohoney for \$88. Bliss Cor.

Geo. Ellis sold one horse to Ezra Jones for \$90.00.

Ezra Jones sold one horse to N. T. Jones for \$70.00—Pelletton Cor.

Irvin Thomas sold two hogs recently at 51 cts.—Miltown Cor.

Frank Waggoner bought of W. H. Bennett a pair of mules for \$300.

S. D. Barbee bought of Capt. W. W. Bradshaw the farm, known as the James Ingram farm, 1294 acres, for \$2,300. Saturday afternoon Mr. Barbee conveyed the same farm to Grover Grissom for the property in which Mr. Barbee is now living, on Water street, and eleven hundred dollars in cash.

Geo. H. Nell bought a car load of cattle from Young, Coffey and Hunn for 4 cents. He bought several from other parties at \$3.50 and \$3.65 per cwt. He also bought a lot from Hardesty & Dearing, Campbellsville, at 5 cents. The cattle were shipped to Louisville last Saturday.

# The News Merit Contest

## Be up and Doing, and Get a Valuable Prize!

On the 15th day of April, 1908, The News will give to **FOUR YOUNG LADIES IN ADAIR COUNTY** the following premiums: To the one receiving the largest number of votes (as below stated)

**A Beautiful Gold Watch,** 20 year guarantee case, Elgin Movements—  
An accurate time keeper.

To the second

**A Gold Bracelet;**

Third, **A Beautiful Set Ring;**

And to Fourth

**A Gold Brooch.**

### Conditions of Contest

For every dollar paid on Subscription, whether to settle arrearage or to advance Subscription, **125 VOTES WILL BE ALLOWED.**

For every New Subscriber paying \$1.00, **150 VOTES.**

For less than a dollar, a vote for each cent, whether new or old subscriber. **FIVE HUNDRED VOTES WILL BE REQUIRED** to place anyone in nomination, after which any number of votes will be accepted and placed to her credit. No one directly or indirectly connected with The News will be admitted to the Contest.

The name of every contestant and the exact number of votes to her credit will be published each week so any one, who desires, may keep up with the contest.

The ballots will be filed away, and in the event of a close finish, will be produced to satisfy any doubts.

No one connected with this office will espouse the cause of any one contestant—It is a Merit Contest and must be determined by the activity of the contestants and not by any solicitation or work on the part of anyone connected with The News.

Every article offered is genuine and guaranteed. Call at Paul's drug store and see the articles and be convinced that The News is offering meritorious gifts for meritorious results. Nominations are now in order. Fill out the following:

#### EDITOR NEWS:

Find enclosed \$..... which place to the credit of.....

..... on Subscription and give Miss.....

..... Votes.

Yours truly,

### PERSONAL

Mr. Tyler Marshall was here last Saturday.

Mrs. J. C. Cook has been quite sick for several days.

Mrs. Jas. Garnett was a lagrippe sufferer last week.

Mr. Golan Butler has been quite ill for several days.

Mr. W. T. McFarland was in Jamestown last Monday.

Eld. Z. T. Williams is reported considerably improved.

Mr. R. H. Durham returned from Campbellsville Monday night.

Mr. W. T. Matson, of Lebanon, was here last Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. Geo. Garrison, who lives near town, is a victim of pneumonia.

Mrs. E. W. Reed is confined to her room, suffering with rheumatism.

Mr. Volina Sullivan, who has been sick for eight weeks, is able to leave his room.

Mrs. Melvin Conover and Miss Sallie Conover paid their respects to the News last Monday.

Mr. Gordon Montgomery was housed several days of last week, suffering with ear ache.

Erlene Grissom, a little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. V. Grissom, was quite sick last week.

Mrs. Bert Epperson, Montpelier, spent last week with her father, Eld. Z. T. Williams.

Mr. J. R. Kimble and wife, of Russell Springs, were present at the Conover-Smith wedding.

Mr. T. R. Stults was unable to be at

his office several days of last week on account of illness.

We understand that thirteen miles of the road from Tateville to Monticello are now ready for use.

Mr. Robert W. Waggener, son of Mr. J. H. Waggener, has about recovered from a spell of pneumonia.

Messrs J. F. Montgomery, Rollin Hurt and Jas. Garnett are attending the Russell circuit court at Jamestown.

Mr. W. I. Meader, Campbellsville, was here Thursday to see his mother, who has been sorely afflicted for almost a year.

Mr. John McFarland, of Rowena, who has been sick at the residence of his son-in-law, Mr. J. T. Goodman, this place, has about recovered.

Judge H. C. Baker, Mr. F. R. Winfrey, Messrs. W. O. Pile, Jo Coffey, Albert Stapp and C. H. Murrell left for Jamestown last Sunday.

Mr. H. S. Robinson, prominent attorney of Campbellsville, and Mr. J. V. Richards, insurance agent, Lexington, were in Columbia a few days ago.

Miss Sallie Williams, who is teaching at Jonesville, Va., and who has been with her father here for the past week, will start on her return trip this morning.

Mr. W. E. Coleman and wife, of Lebanon, visited Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Price last week. Mrs. Coleman, who was Miss Lizzie Cleaver, will remain several weeks.

Mr. D. K. Pelly, whose home is at Pellyton, was taken sick here during circuit court and took his bed at his brother's in this place. He is just now able to be out.

Mr. John McChord, a prominent attorney of Lebanon, and Mr. E. Bert-ram, leading lawyer of Albany, were here last Thursday and Friday, being

employed in the case of Wathen, etc., against W. K. Azbill.

Miss Mary Williams, of Gabe, Green county, is visiting Misses Mary Cartwright and Dimple Conover. Miss Williams is a graduate of the Lindsey-Wilson and has had the pleasure of meeting many of her former school mates.

Mr. Jas. P. Beard, who went to Louisville two weeks ago to consult a specialist, returned home last Saturday night. A tumor was growing on his side which was removed, and he has suffered but little from the operation, and will be a well man in a few days.

Dr. J. E. Grant, of the firm of Triplett & Grant, dentists, will leave Thursday morning for Panama Zone, Panama City, where he expects to locate. Dr. Grant is skilled in his profession and is a most excellent gentleman, and the people of Columbia dislike to lose him. A proposition that he could not well afford to disregard, is the cause for his departure. We take pleasure in commending him to the people of Panama City as a gentleman worthy of confidence. Mrs. Grant will remain in Columbia two or three months before taking her departure.

#### STRAYED.

Two steers, 1 a deep red, other pale, both dehorned, will weigh 7 to 8 hundred each. Been gone about 3 weeks. Finder will be rewarded when the cattle is received. Notify Walter Smith, 14-2t, Cane Valley, Ky.

All notes and accounts owing me are now due and I need the money. If you have not settled your account please do so at once or you will receive a statement. W. L. Walker.

Baled hay near my Exchange. 13-4t G. B. Smith, Columbia, Ky.

### LOCALS

Have made big reductions on men's and boys clothing, over coats. Call and see them and get a bargain. W. L. Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Allen, who live at Wilson's Mill, near town, lost a three-year old child last Thursday night. It was buried Friday.

All accounts are now due and must be settled. If you have not got the money don't wait to be called on but come in and settle. W. L. Walker.

WANTED.—We will pay 60 cents for shelled corn in groceries—meat, flour, sugar, coffee, etc. ALLEN WALKER & CO.

13-3t.

When you send in your dues to The News whether a dollar or more, don't fail to give some young lady the benefit of year vote, in The News Merit contest.

A bad hoar, the property of Mr. John McFarland, Rowena, did great damage to a fine mare belonging to Mr. Luther McFarland last Sunday, by severely biting it on one of her hind legs.

The County clerk has issued the following marriage licenses in the last few days: John Willis to Lou Ann Bryant, Frank Burton to Dorinda Smith, Cleveland Janes to Dollie Morrison.

L. E. Tucker will be in Columbia Monday the 24th inst., for the purpose of buying yearling mules and horses. Bring your mules and horses to town on said date. S. L. Rabern.

It is nine weeks yet before the contest closes and some powerful changes can be made in that time if you really are in earnest. Every prize offered is backed by merit and guaranteed to be as represented.

#### FOR SALE.

Eight three-year-old mules, ready to work. W. T. Dohoney, Columbia, Ky.

#### PREACHING NEXT SUNDAY.

W. H. C. Sandidge, Edmontown. W. S. Dudgeon, Hutchison school house.

J. F. Roach, Pink Ridge. F. J. Barger, Creelsboro. Z. T. Williams, Columbia. H. T. Jesse, Independence. J. C. Cook, Gradyville. J. M. Pierce, Clear Fork. B. F. Vails, Mt. Vernon. C. M. Deenor, Libe. T. J. Wade, Clear Spring. J. A. Johnston, Pleasant Ridge.

#### COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

#### ADAIR CIRCUIT COURT, KENTUCKY.

Hattie C. Rowe & Plaintiff. Ben E. Rowe & Defendant.

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of Adair Circuit Court, rendered at the January Term, thereof, 1908, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court-house door in Columbia Ky, to the highest bidder, at Public Auction, on

**Monday, March 2nd, 1908**

at 1 o'clock p. m. or thereabout (being County Court) upon a credit six months the following described property to-wit:

Two tracts of land lying in Adair County, on the waters of Pettis Fork creek, 1st tract contains 61 acres, 2nd tract contains 35 acres. These tracts will be sold separately. For complete description giving metes and bounds reference made to Judgment recorded in order Book no 11 page 215 in the Adair Circuit Court Clerk office.

For the purchase price, the purchaser with approved surety or securities, must execute Bond, bearing legal interest from day of sale until paid, and having the force and effect of a Judgment.

H. T. BAKER Master Commissioner

#### Suffering and Dollars Saved.

E. S. Loper, of Marilla, N. Y., says: "I am a carpenter and have had many severe cuts healed by Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It has saved me suffering and dollars. It is by far the best healing salve I have ever found." Heals burns, sores, ulcers, fever sores, eczema and piles. 25c. at T. E. Paull, Druggist.

### THE M. & F. HIGH SCHOOL NOTES.

Edwin Cravens was ill Friday.

Fred Chapman was ill one day last week.

James Shirley is back again after several days absence.

Miss Nell Miller was unable to be in school Friday.

Miss Nellie Follis has been absent from school last week on account of La grippe.

Dr. Blayney teaches the Modern Language in Central University and is a man of the most scholarly attainments. You can't afford to miss an opportunity which is rare for Columbia.

The young ladies of the M. and F. High School are selling the tickets for the lecture Friday evening. These may be reserved at M. Cravens' Drug store beginning Wednesday at 8 a m. All seats sell at 35 cents, all may be reserved, so the ones who buy first will get the best seat.

The members of the Beethoven Club were "at home" to a few guests on last Thursday afternoon and entertained in a novel way, which delighted the little gathering in the studio. Each member invited one guest and directly after school at 3:30 they assembled.

The favors were miniature grand pianos cut from cardboard decoration with a valentine design on one side, with a composer's name on the other. Each one drew his favor and partner and the two now began to work at a musical puzzle, which was a little love story in a musical rebus.

This occupied the guests and hostesses too—all worked hard at it until every one had secured surprisingly good answers. The papers were collected, and looked over for mistakes. The papers were so nearly on an equal that the winner of the prize was determined by drawing for a lucky number, which Miss Rodgers the guest of Miss Meyers drew.

A program of three numbers followed, in which Miss Myers played beautifully, Miss Hancock sang "O That We Two were Maying" by Gounod, and Miss Todd played a Norwegian Dance by Haerher. Each one was received with the most marked appreciation. As evening drew near the studio was quaintly lighted with candles in many an old-fashioned candlestick, and chicken salad, wafers, olives pickles and chocolate were served.

This was the most enjoyable social occasion while the club has had one of the most pleasant affairs connected with our school life.

For several weeks the younger girls have been busy at all spare moments making valentines, which was done in a mysterious and secretive fashion. Several days previous to Friday invitations were sent out, which read "You are cordially invited to attend a valentine party at the M. and F. H. S. at 12:15 p m Friday the 14th. The privilege of mailing valentines to friends will be given." Miss Mary Lucy Lowe was Post Mistress and received the posting of valentines and soon afterwards she was ready to open the box for distribution. No one was forgotten and many artistic ones were given and received with quite as many of a comical nature. The party ended by the reading of a journal by Cecil Pile, which was very interesting and contained some good jokes on the teachers and pupils of the school.

#### PAID LIST.

The following subscribers have paid since last issue:

Miss Annie E. Montgomery, W. S. Sallee, Wyatt Smith, W. B. Patteson, W. H. Wilson, S. W. Beck, Lewis Compton, J. W. Moore, O. B. Jeffries, J. A. Goodman, T. J. Conover, R. H. Durham, J. P. Hutchison, W. I. Meader, R. H. Coleman, G. A. Kemp, A. Darnell, B. A. Lowe, W. R. Lyon, Dr. L. E. Williams, Norman Johnston, William Bailey, James Herren, Nettie Finn, Mary Vaughan, Jas. Frankum, Nathan Murrell, Matthew Taylor, Mrs. S. O. Collins, E. B. Firquin, M. F. Gnthrie, E. Moore, Jo Carnes, T. R. Morrison, Dr. O. S. Dunbar, S. A. Strazice, C. M. Pollard.

#### Keep Open House.

Everybody is welcome when we feel good; and we feel that way only when our digestive organs are working properly. Dr. King's New Life Pills regulate the action of stomach, liver and bowels so perfectly one can't help feeling good when he uses these pills. 25c. at T. E. Paull's, Druggist.



## ROOSEVELT'S PHRASING.

The same web of corruption.  
Apologists for corrupt wealth  
Hypocritical baseness.  
Criminals of great wealth.  
Powerful wrong doers.  
Tucklers to the mob.  
Peculiarly flagrant iniquity.  
To shackle cunning.  
Laying up a day of wrath.  
Flagrant dishonesty of a few men.

Gut out rottenness.  
Unhealthy seeming prosperity.  
Greed, trickery and cunning.  
Representatives of predatory wealth.

Wealth accumulated by iniquity.

Puppets who move as string is pulled.

Corrupt men of wealth.  
The strong cunning men.  
Law-defying wealth.

Vindictive and dreadful radicalism. Domineer in swollen pride:

With envenomed bitterness.  
Notorious railroad combinations.

Bitter and unscrupulous craft.  
Many wealthy malefactors.  
Very wealthy criminals.  
Corruption of organized politics.

With frantic vehemence.  
Evil eminence of infamy.  
Creatures who fatten on blood money.

The death knell of the republic.

## THE LEGISLATIVE SITUATION.

The declaration of Representative Gwathmey that "the interests" have blocked and are blocking all legislation and the present session of the Kentucky Legislature is degenerating into a mere farce, describes the situation at Frankfort correctly.

At first it might appear that the word "interests" is misleading. As far as can be seen on the surface, no business interest except the liquor interest is figuring in the lime light at Frankfort in the successful plan to block legislation. There is another "interest," however, at work, to wit, the old discredited political Machine in Louisville, which, with the aid of the Halldeman newspapers and by the votes of seven Democratic bolters, is doing as effective work in this line as the liquor lobby interest. The two are, in fact, working together in such perfect harmony as to make one compact force.

The session of the Legislature so far has been a farce. Only one bill, and that an unimportant one, has become a law. Hundreds of other bills, some of decided importance, such as the Louisville School bill, sleep in the committees in a sleep that will know no waking. The session is attracting but little attention. All hope that anything would be done to relieve the tobacco situation has long since vanished.

It is possible that the County Unit bill, to which the Beckham Democrats are pledged by the declarations of their leaders, and

# Home Treatment

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to which the Republicans are pledged by their party platform, may become a law. This bill will pass the House whenever it is reported, but it has a hard time ahead in the upper chamber.

The session is now more than half over; the Senatorial deadlock is serving its purpose well. In the Senate, indeed, a majority will vote for the bill if it is ever reported, but the Evening Post doubts if the bill will ever get past the committee.

In the meantime, the Courier-Journal is trying to make it appear day after day that "all this is due to Beckham." There are sixty-six Democrats voting every day for Mr. Beckham, the regular party nominee; there are seven bolting Democrats who are deadlocking the Legislature.—Louisville Post.

## THE NEW COMMANDMENTS.

1. Thou shalt not go away from home to do thy shopping, nor thy wife, nor thy sons nor thy daughters.

2. Thou shalt patronize thine own merchants; that they shall not be driven from their home to find food for their children.

3. Thou shalt patronize thine own merchant and also the printer and they shall patronize thee.

4. Thou shalt pay the bills promptly that thy credit may be good in the land where thou dwellest, and thy neighbors greet thee gladly, then deposit thy surplus in home banks.

5. Thou shalt not knock the props from under thine own town in order to be revenged on thine enemy lest thou perish with him.

6. Thou shalt not incline thine ear to the voice of pride, nor permit vanity to overcome thy heart.

7. Thou shalt spend thine earnings at home, that they may return whence they came and give nourishment to such as come after thee.

8. Thou shalt not bear false witness against the town where, in thou dwellest, but speak well of it in the ears of all men.

9. Thou shalt not covet thy neighbor's seed wheat nor his meat hog, nor the cow, nor the corn which is in his crib, but whatsoever thou desirest thou shalt buy of him and thou shalt pay the price thereof in the coin of the realm.

10. Thou shalt keep these commandments and teach them to thy children unto the third and fourth generations, that they may be made to flourish and wax rich while thou art laid to rest with thy fathers.—San Diego (Cal.) News.

You naturally would prefer to treat yourself at home, for any form of female trouble, wouldn't you? Well, it can be done. No reason why you should not be able to relieve or cure your suffering, as thousands of other women have done, by proper use of the Cardui Home Treatment. Begin by taking

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## THE OLD SUBSCRIBER.

We sometime wonder if newspaper men generally appreciate the old subscriber at his true value. We mean the old standby who takes the home paper year after year, through evil as well as through good report, and pays his subscription regularly just the same as he would any other honest debt. As a general thing the old subscriber is patient and slow to wrath. He will overlook many little slights from the editor, slights which the man who borrows his readings would not stand for a minute.—Lansing (Ia.) Mirror.

A test was made several years ago to ascertain the effect of stabling on stock as compared with allowing the animals access to the open yard with sheds adjoining. The test was carried on during November, when the nights were cold and frosty. The parties making the experiment state that they found in this short test that in every instance where the cows were compelled to sleep in the barn in stalls they did not give as large a yield of milk as when allowed the open air. We were quite surprised about this, for the nights were very cold, though dry. The barn was well ventilated and the animals had plenty of good, dry bedding and were in clean stalls. Nevertheless, a stall is not as comfortable for an animal as the ground, providing it is not muddy or disagreeable.

## FOR MEN ONLY.

According to the Oklahoman a lady reporter of the Tulsa World was recently shocked because a street carnival had an attraction which was placarded, "For Men Only." From the numbers going in she decided that it must be something desperately wicked and said some caustic things about it in the paper. It developed that the attraction consisted of a clothes-line on which were hung a pair of pants, coat, vest and socks. When one sucker was caught he very naturally steered all of his friends into the trap.

## SOME RULERS KILLED.

Abraham Lincoln, President, April 15, 1865.

James A. Garfield, President, July 2, 1881.

Wm. McKinley, President, Sept. 6, 1901.

Wm. Goebel, Governor of Kentucky, Jan. 30, 1900.

Carter H. Harrison, Mayor of

Chicago, Oct. 28, 1893.

President Borda, Uruguay, Aug. 25, 1897.

President Barrios, Guatemala, Feb. 8, 1898.

Abdul Aziz, Sultan of Turkey, June 4, 1879.

Alexander II, Russia, March 13, 1881.

President Carmot, of France, June 24, 1894.

Ehmet Ali, Hasha Albania, Sept. 7, 1878.

Nasr-ed-din, Shah of Persia, May 1, 1896.

Empress Elizabeth, Austria, Sept. 19, 1898.

King Humbert, of Italy, July 29, 1900.

King Alexander and Queen Draga, of Serbia, June 10, 1903.

King Carlos and Prince Louis, Feb. 1, 1908.

## BRYAN COMPLIMENTARY.

Mr. Bryan says of President Roosevelt's recent message:

"It is a brave message, and needed at this time. All friends of reform have reason to rejoice that the President has used his high position to call attention to the wrongs that need to be remedied. He has discovered the running sore in our national life. He has pointed out the corrupting influences that flow from predatory wealth and from the monopolistic enterprises which have given unearned riches to the few, who by controlling the great industries of the nation, have levied tribute upon the whole country.

Debate on the Aldrich Currency bill was begun in the Senate. The discussion of the measure was directed chiefly toward the provision for railroad bonds as a basis for emergency circulation, a wide difference of opinion being developed concerning the method that should be adopted in determining the valuation to be given such bonds, as well as opposition to the use of such security under any terms.

Town killers, says an exchange are classified in six different branches, as follows: First those who go out of town to do their shopping; second, those who want a quiet town instead of push and business; third those who imagine they own the town; fourth those who deride public spirited men; fifth, those who oppose everything that does originate within themselves; sixth, those who seek to injure the credit and reputation of an individual.

## THE BENEFIT OF ADVERTISING

"If you have a thing to sell, advertise it." That is the advice of one of the most successful business men in the state. A few weeks ago an effort to sell some land in South Florida was made in a roundabout way, but without success. Finally the agent advertised it liberally in the newspapers, and he asserts that he not only sold the land, but for considerable more than he expected or had offered it for a year previous. People who want to make purchases do not know very often, where they can be made, and they naturally turn to newspapers.—Jacksonville (Fla.) Methopolis.

# Who Will Be President?

This is a presidential year, and every man must read to keep posted on politics. The

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[Henry Watterson, Editor]

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### RUSSELL SPRINGS.

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J. T. Shepherd an old Russell Co. citizen, who has been confined to his bed since last August is improving.

Frank Shepherd has had a severe attack of pneumonia, which was put to flight by the able Dr. Combest, and promises to soon be as good as new.

Miss Mittie Wilson is improving slowly.

Willie Prock has been laid up with pneumonia, but is making satisfactory progress.

Owen Grider, out on Jamestown road, has also fell victim to pneumonia, has resisted treatment to a somewhat alarming de-

Dr. Combest made a professional call into Casey Co. last week and as usual rendered efficient service. During his six months practice in Russell Co. Dr. Combest has has not lost a case.

The money stringency is abating somewhat in Russell, and the timber business is gradually improving.

Russell Springs came near being the scene of a conflagration a few days ago. While the evidence as to the cause is somewhat meager it looks to be of an incendiary nature. It is rumored that the blaze originated in J.W. Kimble's water bucket, but don't mention this to Jule.

### BLISS.

W. H. C. Sandidge filled his regular appointment at Ebenezer Sunday.

Miss Nora Bradshaw, of Montpelier, visited the family of Mr. R. E. Tandy, last week. Miss Nora is quite an accomplished young lady, and very popular with the young people.

Miss Levia Sandidge has been very sick for a few days, but is thought to be better at this writing.

Mr. Ivan Patterson, our new blacksmith, is doing a hustling business and giving satisfaction.

Mrs. Robt. Conover and daughter, Jim, visited at Mr. R. E. Tandy's last week.

Mr. C. M. Herriford, our up-to-date miller, is doing a good business. If you want a good meal or a house moved, call on Charlie.

Mr. Bill Hancock, of Cane Valley, was here Friday looking at some Jersey cows, failed to purchase.

Capt. W. W. Bradshaw, of Columbia, was here Friday afternoon, calling on the sick.

Mr. R. E. Tandy spent Thursday night at Montpelier, but was called home next day on account of a sick baby.

Misses Rena and Agnes Conover, who entered school at Bowling Green in January, are getting along nicely, and are highly pleased with the school.

Messrs. Will Sandidge, Jim and George Herriford and Miss Trannie Sandidge, of the M. & F. High School, are with their parents until Monday.

Mr. W. T. Dohoney, one of our prosperous farmers, was here Saturday.

Messrs. J. D. Lowe, J. R. Smith, Jim Goff and --Hatcher, our popular drummers, called on our merchants this week.

Mr. C. C. Stephens, who has been sick with grippe, is able to be out again.

Mr. W. R. Bradshaw, one of our best farmers, is improving his place--changing things around, and preparing for his crop. If we had a few more such men in our country, we would soon have things looking quite different.

Mrs. Diana Johnston, who has been sick for some time, is very much improved, and able to be out again.

Farmers are getting along nicely with their work. There will be quite a large crop of tobacco put in from the number of beds that have been burned.

Dr. W. T. Grissom has been kept very busy in this community for several weeks, but we are glad to state that the sick are all better. We regretted very much to see the Doctor move away, and hope another year will find him at his old home. He is certainly the right man in the right place.

### PELLYTON.

Mr. S. S. Workman, who has

lagrippe, is better at this writing.

Mrs. Eliza Workman is on the sick list.

M. L. Dunn's wife, of color, died of lagrippe Sunday. Two more very bad.

W. G. Ellis, G. W. Rubarts, G. N. Rubarts and J. R. Jones were in Columbia one day last week on business.

J. A. Hardin has the contract to carry the mail from Pellyton to Knifley.

Miss Hattie Rubarts, of Eunice, is visiting her grand-mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Rubarts, of Pellyton.

### MT. PLEASANT.

Farmers are very much delayed in their farm work on account of bad weather.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bumgarner, of Cane Valley, were the guest of Mr. James Hutchison and family last week.

Misses Annie Williams, Bersha Tupman, and Cora Smith visited Mrs. R. H. Montgomery last Saturday night.

Mr. Granville Russell and son, of Watson, were in our midst last week, buying fat hogs.

Mr. S. C. Hood was in Louisville last week on business.

Tobacco is all the talk in our neighborhood especially the boys, I wish them success in their winter crop.

Mr. and J. L. Hutchison were visiting Mrs. Starlight Murrell, of Columbia, last Sunday, who has been very sick for the last few days.

We are glad to say that Mr. Golan Butler, who has been dangerously ill, has greatly improved at this writing.

Miss Ann Liza Montgomery, of Ozark, was visiting the trustees of this district last week. Miss Montgomery taught our school in 1904. Luck to you Miss Montgomery.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Hood and daughter, and little son, Charlie, visited Mr. James Wilson last Sunday.

Miss Ella Shepherd visited her sister Mrs. Mont Harmon last Tuesday night.

We are sorry indeed to hear of Bro. Williams being sick and hope to see him out again soon.

### A SLOW TRAIN.

"That famous railroad man, the late Samuel Sloan," said a New York banker, "loved fast trains and hated slow ones. They tell a story about a trick he once played on a railroad whose service was notoriously slow.

"Having several times to use this railroad's afternoon accommodation, he caused a sign to be painted, which he took from his pocket and hung in the front of one of the cars when nobody was looking. The sign read: 'Passengers are requested not to pluck flowers while the train is in motion.'"--Boston Post.

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## WITH OUR CORRESPONDENTS

Week's happenings—News Important or Otherwise as Reported By Our Corps of Correspondents.

## GRADYVILLE.

This place and Columbia will be connected by new telephone line in the near future.

We are having plenty of rain now days.

Big creek was past fording last Friday.

Mrs. C. H. Yates does not improve fast.

J. A. Diddle was at Sparksville on business last Friday.

R. L. Caldwell, of Milltown community, was in our midst Monday.

G. T. Flowers is transacting business in the community of Fairplay at this time.

L. M. Wilmore and family were called to the bedside of Mrs. J. W. Thompson in the Milltown community one night last week.

J. P. Hutchison's produce man, of Columbia, made our town the first of the week.

Ed Atkins, S. C. Neat and Will Lyons, grocerymen, of Louisville, made our town last week.

Dr. W. T. Grissom, of Columbia, was called to the bedside of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Thomas' baby last Tuesday.

S. A. Harper is having a nice lot of staves made for Dr. L. C. Nell & Co., near this place at this time.

Sam Mitchell, of Columbia, was shaking hands with his many friends in our town one day last week.

Geo. H. Nell, the well-known stockman, of this section, is on the Louisville market with another car load of cattle this week.

Mrs. W. P. Flowers entertained several of her friends of our city one day last week.

Misses Ora and Mollie Moss, of Keltner community, were the guests of Miss Mollie Flowers and Miss Mary Hunter last Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. John Rodgers, one of Pickett's up-to-date farmers as well as business men, was in our midst one day last week transacting business.

The singing at this place on last Saturday night conducted by Prof. John Pickett was well attended and a general good time prevailed. It certainly goes without saying, John can sing.

We are glad to note that no notice has ever been served on any of our farmers forbidding them to make any preparation for raising a tobacco crop. That is the main source of our money, one and all should prepare for a large crop this year.

Mr. James Gilpin, of Sparksville, was in our midst one day last week and informed us that the prospects were flattering for another store of general merchandise in his town.

Mr. J. T. Hamilton, one of the best farmers in the community of Nell, was in our midst last Friday buying grass seed, and informed us, notwithstanding the large amount of wet weather we have had, he had over 25 acres of ground turned for corn. Who can beat this for a wet season?

The first young colt of the

season we have noticed is at the barn of W. L. Grady, the owner of the thoroughbred horses in this section. This colt is a silver King and a sure good one, just a little ahead of any Peacocks we have noticed this season, but don't tell Mr. Grady so.

Our old friend and neighbor, J. M. Wilson, was in our midst last Friday looking just as well as he did twenty years ago. Don't seem to get any older in appearance, and your reporter never saw him out of humor the least bit in the world. Panics and floods and disturbances of all kind may come up, but John Millton, the old Presbyterian style, takes every thing fair and easy and always has plenty of this world goods and some to spare, if he finds a worthy brother in destitute circumstances.

Mr. S. A. Harper handed your reporter a letter that he had just received from his son, Mont, who has been in the standing army for a number of years announcing that he was no longer a soldier, but stated that he was civil engineer stationed at San Francisco with salary of \$150 per month, also stated that so soon as he could get a vacation he would run down and see his father. It is certainly gratifying not only to his father, but also to his many friends in this section, that he has secured such a good job. You can not keep an Adair county boy down. Let us hear from you again Mont.

## Neighborhood Favorites.

Mrs. E. D. Charles, of Harbor, Maine speaking of Electric Bitters, says: "It is a neighborhood favorite here with us." It deserves to be a favorite everywhere. It gives quick relief in dyspepsia, liver complaint, kidney derangement, malnutrition, nervousness, weakness and general debility. Its action on the blood as a thorough purifier makes it especially useful as a spring medicine. This grand alternative tonic is sold under guarantee at T. E. Paull's drug store. 50c.

## ROWE'S X ROADS.

Prof. J. V. Dudley had a good singing school at Hays' Chapel Church last week.

The people have nearly all got the gripe in this corner of the world. Susie and Olive Hadley, A. R. Blakey and wife, Miss Nera Selby and many others are down with it.

Since my last letter to the News, Mr. Grant Cundiff and Miss Golda Shearer; Mr. Lee Collins and Miss Pearl Miller have been married here.

John Voils is moving his heading mill to Sam Collins on Greasy Creek.

Boot legging is the go here again, get the old ones out of the way, and new ones are ready to take their place. Boys don't drink, your money, time and health will all soon be gone boys. Hear your mother's prayers; "Come home to-night."

Miss Lena and Margaret Oaks of this village, started to school this week at Russell Springs.

Lawrence Hadley is visiting his grand parents here this week.

Sam Collins has his steam mill in motion this week at Logan Blairs.

There is a new Democrat girl at Henry Aarons.

Sister Matilda E. Walkup fell asleep here to-day, February 13, with cancer of the breast. W. C. Grider, her son-in-law, will give you a true history of the case.

Mrs. Charley Medaris is at the point of death with pneumonia fever.

## ELLER.

John Meadows of Cains store, was here Saturday buying furs.

Prof. B. A. Coffey of Esto, conducted a very interesting singing at Clear Spring last Sunday.

Eldonra George was at Wolf Creek on business Wednesday.

P. W. Bernard entered school at Russell Springs Monday.

J. L. Gaskins and B. H. Wake, are in Clinton county on business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Brown gave the young folks a party Tuesday night.

B. E. Foley was on Stingy Ridge Tuesday making photos.

Mack Wells and Mrs. Sallie J. Wells were united in marriage Tuesday Rev. A. F. Chrisman officiating.

We now have daily mail the route from Irvin's Store to Jamestown having been changed so as to supply this office.

## MILLTOWN.

Bro. Levi filled his regular appointment at this place Sunday. Bro. Basham also preached Sunday night.

Miss Susie Johnston has been visiting Mrs. Frank Cobb for the past two weeks.

Mrs. M. K. Pollard, who has been dangerously ill is reported some better.

Mr. Willie Chapman and wife, of Columbia, were visiting Mrs. Liza Thomas Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Kate Squires is visiting Miss Emma Thomas this week.

Geo. Butler bought of Mr. Sel Hatcher recently a tract of land. Mr. Butler will build in a short time.

R. T. McCaffree was in our community surveying a tract of land last week.

Mrs. Sam Townsend and Mrs. Sallie Hindman were visiting Mrs. Lizzie Thomas last week.

Mrs. J. M. Thomas was visiting Mrs. John Lindley last week. Mrs. Lindley is in very poor health.

Miss Mont Thomas is visiting at R. T. McCaffree's this week.

Irvin and Miss Birt Thomas were visiting relatives in Columbia Saturday and Sunday.

W. S. Hindman sold his tobacco to J. F. Pendleton for \$7.75 per hundred.

Misses Emma Thomas and Kate Squires have been visiting relatives and friends in our town last week.

Miss Mary Ann Hancock, of Louisville, is now sick at the residence of J. R. Tutt.

Mrs. Sarah Darnell is now low. Miss Doll Doherty, who has been sick, is some better.

Mt. V. Leftwich was in Columbia on business last week.

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